

REVIVE GLORIES OF ANCIENT ROME IN HUGE PLAY FOR ACTORS' FUND



Mabel Wright in Barbaric Dance, One Feature of "Julius Caesar" Spectacle

Hollywood, Cal. — The glories of ancient Rome were revived for one night's splendor when 5,000 photoplay actors recently enacted what is considered the most pretentious and spectacular production of "Julius Caesar" ever staged.

The big spectacle was presented in celebration of the Shakespeare Tercentenary and as a benefit for the fund the actors of America are raising to build a home in New York city for infirm Thespians.

An audience of 30,000 people watched the various features of the three-hour performance on an outdoor stage with a frontage of 260 feet and a depth of a quarter of a mile. Incandescent projectors, with 6,000,000 candle power, flooded the huge arena with light.

Although the talent was donated, production cost \$10,000. Above this expense \$15,000 was cleared for the actors' fund.

In the big cast appeared many of the world's most famous players.